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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER  
Under Small Entity Status

Attorney Docket No:  
1796034US1AP

Application Serial Number:  
10/626,970

Filing Date:  
7/25/2003

Examiner:  
Eloshway, Niki M.

Art Unit:  
3727

Invention: BOTTLE SECURITY DEVICE

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	41	MINUS	44	0	\$25.00	\$0
INDEP. CLAIMS	13	MINUS	8	5	\$100.00	\$500

Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of \_\_\_\_\_ to and through \_\_\_\_\_, comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of:

\_\_\_\_\_ one month (\$60.00)                      \_\_\_\_\_ three months (\$510.00)  
\_\_\_\_\_ two months (\$225.00)                      \_\_\_\_\_ four months (\$795.00)

\_\_\_\_\_ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-0083

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT                      \$500.00

☒ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

\_\_\_\_\_ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☒ A check in the amount of \$ 500.00 \_\_\_\_\_ is attached.

\_\_\_\_\_ Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account \_\_\_\_\_.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s), or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0083

\_\_\_\_\_ No additional fee is required.

8-25-05  
Date

Clay H. Cunningham  
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PATENT APPLICATION

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Dennis D. Belden, Jr.

Serial No: 10/626,970

Examiner: Eloshway, Niki Marina

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For: BOTTLE SECURITY DEVICE

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

In response to the Office Action dated July 27, 2005, the Applicant respectfully requests the entry of the following amendments.

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